

In the Specification:

Enter the following replacement paragraph for the paragraph on lines 9 and 10 of page 1:

"Child slings are well known. Various types of child slings may be viewed at the web sites ~~<http://kangarookorner.com>~~ ~~and~~ ~~<http://Mama-Ree.com>~~."

Enter the following replacement paragraph for the paragraph beginning on line 18 of page 1 and ending on line 4 of page 2:

"One such fabric sling is the German Didymos sling, also known as the German Girosol sling, ~~described on the web site "[http://kangarookorner.com/k-reviews fabric.shtml](http://kangarookorner.com/k-reviews-fabric.shtml)"~~. The Didymos sling is essentially a twelve foot or so long, one foot wide piece of fabric. With the Didymos sling, when the child is to be carried in the cross-carry position (facing the front of the carrier's upper torso), the middle of the sling is draped over the carrier's shoulders so that it loops down to the middle of the carrier's back and so that one of the branches hangs down in front of the carrier about a foot longer than the other. Then the two branches are crossed in front of the carrier's chest to his or her waist, the longer branch being inside the other and being passed behind the carrier and through the loop in back and brought to the other side where it is tied in a loose knot with the outside branch. The child is then placed vertically facing the carrier and so that its leg opposite the shoulder over which the inside branch passes, is inside the inside branch; and so that the other leg is inside the other or outside branch but outside the inside and longer branch. The branches are spread to widely cover the child's buttocks and shoulders and to support it comfortably."

Rewrite the penultimate and last paragraphs of the section BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF THE DRAWINGS OF A PREFERRED EMBODIMENT OF THE INVENTION on page 3 of the Specification, and add the paragraphs following:

"Fig. 5 is a sketch depicting a front view of using of the child's sling of the invention for the Single-Shoulder-Carrying position; and

Fig. 6 is a sketch depicting a back view of using of the child's sling of the invention for the Single-Shoulder-Carrying position[[]]; and

Fig. 7 is a step-by-step sequence for mounting the child sling on a person, wherein the steps are numbered 1 through 12 and are as follows:

1. Child's sling mounted by the carrier by looping the sling 10 over the carrier's back and so the channel 12 is the lower portion and waist high;
2. The two branches 14 and 16 are crossed in front of the carrier's waist, the longer branch 16 being inside the other;
3. The longer branch 16 being passed behind the carrier and through the channel 12 in back;
4. The shorter and outside branch 14 is passed through the channel 12 in the other direction and inside the other;
5. The branches are continued around the carrier's waist and tied together in a loose knot in front;
6. The carrier is now free to pick up a child:
7. The child is placed vertically facing the carrier and so that its leg opposite the shoulder over which the inside branch 16 passes, is inside the inside branch;
8. And so that the other leg is inside the other or outside branch 14 but outside the inside and longer sling branch 16;
9. The branch 16 is spread to widely cover the child's buttocks and shoulders and loosened or tightened to support it comfortably;
10. The branch 14 is spread to widely cover the child's buttocks and shoulders and loosened or tightened to support it comfortably;
11. The knot in the branches 14 and 16 may be loosened; and
12. The branches 14 and 16 have been tightened, by making a square knot 18, to secure the child in place."

Rewrite the penultimate paragraph on page 4 and the paragraph on pages 4 and 5 of the Specification section DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF THE PREFERRED EMBODIMENT as follows:

"The child's sling of the invention would be mounted by the carrier by looping the sling 10 over the carrier's back and so the channel 12 was the lower portion and waist high (Fig. 7-1). Due consideration would have been given to whether the carrier desired the pocket 20 to end up on the carrier's left or right side and inside or out the branch 16.

Thereafter the two branches 14 and 16 are crossed in front of the carrier's waist (Fig. 7-2), the longer branch 16 being inside the other and being passed behind the carrier and through the channel 12 in back (Fig. 7-3); then the shorter and outside branch 14 is passed through the channel 12 in the other direction and inside or outside or above or below the other (in Fig. 2 and (Fig. 7-4) depicted inside the other); thereafter the branches are continued around the carrier's waist and tied together in a loose knot in front (Figs. 7-5 and 7-6). The child is then placed vertically facing the carrier and so that its leg opposite the shoulder over which the inside branch 16 passes, is inside the inside branch (Fig. 7-7); and so that the other leg is inside the other or outside branch 14 but outside the inside and longer sling branch 16 (Fig. 7-8). The branches 14 and 16 are spread to widely cover the child's buttocks and shoulders (Fig. 7-9) and loosened or tightened to support it comfortably (Fig. 7-10). Then the knot in the branches 14 and 16 may be tightened, as by making it a square knot 18 (Fig. 1 (Figs. 7-11 and 12)), to secure the child in place."